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A. H. CLEMENT, Editor.
THURSDAY, NOV. 18, 1926

Dr. G. L. Morris and Mr. Rolph Wood, of Buckingham, were in town yesterday. Dr. Morris is an applicant for appointment to the treasurership of Buckingham County: That several other applicants presented their claims for the appointment to Judge Hutcheson in Farmville Tuesday Among the applicants for appointment are Mrs. Richard Ellis, who has been serving as deputy treasurer, Monroe Johns, Col. Albert Terrell and Dr. G. L. Morris. Sheriff Griffin, who it is said will be a candidate at the election next year is not a candidate for appointment for the short term.

Buckingham is a big county and the canvass next year is already being spoken of as presenting for the candidates a great local fight.

## John L Lee

This distinguished Virginia lawyer passed away at his home in Amherst county Sunday in the 66th year of his age. He had been sick for several months. Jack was recognized as one of the giant criminal lawyers of Virginia and his reputation and skill often called him to distant states to defend those charged with crime. He was frank and honest, fearless and a powerful advocate before a jury,

The writer knew him for many years in his young days and Jack was a loyal and faithful friend and we mourn his death with his host of friends. He is survived by his wife and three children.

## Rockbridge Letter

Dear TIMES:—The good old summertime is a thing of the past and the loathe to part with the old friends, yet we welcome this grand autumn, which is now upon us, in full sway. It has been the good fortune of your quondam correspondent to make a prolonged visit to this part of our dear 'Old Virginia' during this season.

The mountains around here are one gorgeous mass of beauty. The bright red of sourwood and dogwood, intermingled with the yellow of hickory and maples, together with the varied shades of other foliage, make a picture too grand and too varied to be copied by human hand. On the lowlands, some trees are still green and here and there a tree stands out in flaming colors without a single green leaf; but the mountain sides look as if they had been brushed over with burnished gold. One cannot look at the mountains and not appreciate nature's wonderful scenery and also be impressed by the number of tourists in cars with licenses from distant cities, enjoying the exquisite landscape. Now we can exclaim with the poet, "Who can paint like nature? Can imagination boast among its varied scenes of hues like these?"

This is a beautiful and fertile farm, situated on on Buffalo Creek and North River. A large crop of wheat, rye, oats, and barley has been sowed, all of which are growing rapidly. Farmers say they reap a better crop of grain from early sowing and so by middle of October most of them have finished. It would be wise if our Appomattox farmers would adopt the same plan, but alas, no, they are slow. Some farmers sold tobacco in Lynchburg on the opening day, and were far from being pleased. It does seem that the buyers would have shown more policy and fellow-feeling than to get tobacco below the cost of production. We unionists warned those outside, but they simply smiled, and all we could say was, "Ephraim is joined to idols, let him alone." To say the least, they have lost a golden opportunity to make a living from their farms.

It will soon be in order to turn my steps homeward. Some sad changes have taken place.

'Friends have been scattered like roses in June, some to the bridal, some to the tomb."
With best wishes,
Veritas

# BARTON TO HEAD BAPTIST PROGRAM

**Missourian Will Lead Effort to Increase Mission and Benevolent Budget**

**CHURCHES GIVE TOO LITTLE**

**Survey Reveals Low Standards Maintained by Many—Plans Are Laid For Improvement in 1927**

To lead Southern Baptists in greatly increasing their budget for the support of missions, Christian education and benevolences, Dr. A. J. Barton of Kansas City, superintendent of Baptist work in Missouri for the past three years, and one of the most prominent men in the denomination, has accepted the position of general director of the Baptist Co-operative Program, and will move to Nashville, Tenn., to assume his new duties at once.

Southern Baptists are seeking to raise $9,000,000 for the Co-operative Program during this convention year and Dr. Barton will seek to enlist the aid of every agency and church of the Southern Baptist Convention in the accomplishment of this task.

**Has Served Denomination**

To his new position Dr. Barton brings a wide denominational and public experience. He has held prominent pastorates in the South and has served as associate secretary of the Foreign Mission Board, field secretary of the Home Mission Board, general secretary of the Arkansas State Mission Board, and secretary of the Texas Baptist Education Commission prior to taking up his work in Missouri. He has also long been prominent in the cause of temperance. For sixteen years he has been

DR. A. J. BARTON
New General Director Baptist Co-operative Program

a member of the executive and legislative committees of the Anti-saloon League of America, and during his incumbency as superintendent of the Anti-saloon League of Texas he saw prohibition written into the constitution of that state.

Bringing the Baptist churches of the South to a higher standard in giving to the missionary, educational and benevolent program of the denomination, known as the Co-operative Program, will be the first and chief task to which the new general director will address himself.

According to a recent survey of the record of the, Baptist churches of the South, compiled from the letters of the individual churches to their district associations for 1925, made by Dr. E. P. Alldredge, statistical secretary of Southern Baptists, 5,927 churches listed as co-operating with the Southern Baptist Convention gave nothing to missions and benevolences last year. Other interesting information gleaned from this survey reveals that 12,319 other churches, or slightly more than one-half of the total number of churches, retained from 76 to 99 cents out of every dollar coming into their treasuries for purely local work; 1,665 churches applied from 67 to 75 cents, and 1,546 churches from 51 to 66 cents out of every dollar contributed to their own local work; whereas, only 801 churches in all the South gave 50 cents or more out of every dollar coming into their treasuries to missions and benevolences beyond the borders of their own communities.

The Southern Baptist Convention has established an ideal of a fifty-fifty distribution in that it is recommending to the churches that they endeavor to give half of all the money raised by them to the general work of the denomination, retaining the other half for their own local expenses.

Included in the plans of the Co-operative Program is an every-member canvass this fall in every Baptist church with a view to enlisting every member in making a subscription to missions and benevolences.

Another effort is that of enlisting at least 500,000 Southern Baptists as tithers, or giving one-tenth of their incomes to religious work through their churches. In this connection the number of tithers which each state in the Southern Baptist Convention will undertake to enlist is given as follows: Alabama, 37,850; Arkansas, 21,250; District of Columbia,3,000; Florida, 13,650; Georgia, 55,950; Illinois, 8,700; Kentucky, 42,950; Louisiana, 18,800; Maryland, 3,450; Mississippi, 30,000; Missouri, 31,400; New Mexico, 1,500; North Carolina, 50,000; Oklahoma, 17,000; South Carolina, 29,500; Tennessee, 37,500; Texas, 71,500, and Virginia, 30,000.

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## Mary Succeeds on Main Street

By LAURA MILLER

### THE UNIVERSITY OF THE YARDS

"Main Street can't train girls to earn a living," is a plaint that runs through thousands of letters, in one wording or another, from girls who seek careers. True, it is that courses in biology, in art, in medicine, are not to be found at any crossroads. But suppose a fury of desire to paint people—or to cut them up and remold them nearer to good health's desire—doesn't drive Mary off Main Street? Shall she forsake family and friends and all the comfortable, homely things one grows up with, for a casual career? If one's just the average girl may not the little home town job, where a conscientious worker learns something of everything, help out if the great test comes?

Let me tell you the story of Mary Marshall of Marshalltown, Ind. It is early in 1919. War brides were hurrying to meet transports from France. Fathers in khaki were losing their look born of horrors as they gazed upon miraculous little sons that recalled their own before-the-war selves.

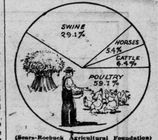
Mary Marshall, see Hopkins, had just come to Washington for a job that would support herself and John, Jr. She and John, Sr., had run the railroad and village telegraph office until 1918. Then she had abruptly become Mrs. Marshall and sole operator. She was a competent worker, evidently. And she knew she was releasing not merely a man, but two men for war service. When John, Jr., arrived she gave up work and lived with Father and Mother Marshall.

The day Mary came to me—I was running Uncle Sam's employment office in Washington just then—I tried to send her back to Marshalltown. She had a home. She had a baby to take care of. And she was—so I told her—practically untrained. Hadn't she come straight from the corner of Main Street and Railroad Avenue?

Mary Marshall wouldn't go back to Marshalltown. After a generous portion of stupidity on my part and of shyness on hers, the story came out. John, Sr., was in a Washington hospital, shell-shocked. His chances for sanity lay in seeing Mary and John, Jr., every day. A job was found for Mary as correspondence clerk in the telegraph division of the United States Railroad administration. It was no charity job, either. "There isn't anything she didn't learn something about in that little dump of an office in the railroad yards," her chief said later. "She's all to the good."

For obvious reasons, Mary Marshall and Marshalltown aren't her real name and address. But the story is real to the core.

Chickens Top Wheat Eaters




(Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation)

Wheat and flour are synonymous in the minds of many. As a matter of fact, however, forty per cent of our mammoth wheat crop never leaves the farm at all, but is used for seed purposes and feeding farm animals, states the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation in a survey recently completed on wheat consumption. It is used most abundantly for feeding in those sections of the country having a wheat surplus and a shortage of the usual feed crops such as corn, oats and barley. The poorer qualities of wheat, not suited for making flour, are kept behind for this purpose.

Chickens are the heaviest consumers of wheat fed on the farm, using 29.1% of all wheat so distributed. Swine are next, with 29.1%. In wheat-growing sections horses are fed wheat and consume on an average 5.4% of all wheat fed on the farm, while the remaining 6.4% goes to cattle.

SOUTHERN BEAUTY

Miss Fannie Dial, daughter of the former senator from South Carolina and Mrs. Nathaniel B. Dial, will make her debut to society in Washington this winter.

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## Commissioners' AUCTION SALE

of large plantation of T. B. Scruggs, deceased, on Stonewall Creek, near Concord Depot and Stonewall, in Appomattox County, Va., and Storehouse and Warehouse at Concord Depot, Va.

By virtue of decree of the Circuit Court of Campbell County, Va., entered at the September Term, 1926, in the cause of J. J. Scruggs and others vs. T. B. Scruggs' heirs and others, the undersigned Commissioners will offer for sale at public auction on the promises near the residence occuped by Wm. Walker Scruggs, on

**TUESDAY, NOV. 23rd. 1926**

Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. the farm of T. B. Scruggs, deceased, containing about 130½ acres, having situated thereon a large frame dwelling, stable, corn-house, large tobacco barns and other improvements. This farm will be subdivided into small lots or tracts of convenient size. Plats and other information may be had on application to the undersigned Commissioners or Auctioneer.

**ON THE SAME DAY AT 3:00 O'CLOCK P. M.**

the undersigned Commissioners will offer for sale at public auction on the premises the Storehouse at Concord Depot, Va., known as T. B. Scruggs & Co.'s Store and immediately following the warehouse and lot which lies across the road from the above storehouse.

TERMS—One-fourth cash, balance payable in three equal installments, one, two, and three years from date of sale, with interest.

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Bond required of above mentioned Commissioners given according to law, with approved security.

C. W. Woodson, Clerk.

NOTE:—On the same day, immediately following the sale of the above farm, the undersigned Administrator of T. B. Scruggs, deceased, will offer for sale at public auction on the premises, 7 horses, 2 wagons, plows, farming tools, hay and other personal property.

TERMS—Cash.

J. EASLEY EDMUNDS, Jr.
Administrator.
H. C. BABCOCK, Auctioneer.
Appomattox, Va.
11-4-26 3t

## TRUSTEE'S SALE

Fine Farm in Appomattox County, near Vera, Va.

By virtue of authority vested in the undersigned trustee in a certain deed bearing date on 18th day Oct. 1923, of record in the Clerk's Office, Circuit Court, Appomattox County, Va. D. B. 23 at page 400, by Chas. F. Smith, default having been in the payment of debt secured in said deed of trust and at the request of the holder of the debt secured therein, I will sell at public auction in front of the post office at Appomattox, Va.,

At 2 o'Clock P. M.
on
**Wed., Dec. 1, 1926**

the following real estate:

That certain boundary of land located in Clover Hill District, Appomattox County, Va., near Vera, known as a part of the Jno. H. Flood estate, containing 234 1-2 acres, more or less, it being the residue of the said Jno. H. Flood Estate, conveyed to said C. F. Smith by W. A. Jackson and others, which deed is of record in the Clerk's Office of Appomattox County, and to which reference is made for a more particular description of said land.

There is a splendid dwelling house, barns, and necessary outbuildings, orchard and fencing.

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TERMS OF SALE—Cash.

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## FOREST VIEW

How is this for a winter morning? After snowing all day yesterday, our first snow of the season!

The huntsmen have been having great sport the past week.

Messrs. T. H. Layne and Richard Nottingham, of Eastern Shore, are visiting in the home of R. W. Martin and enjoying the sport of hunting, they in company with R. W. Martin collected in the home of B. C. Sims keep the Sunday.

is complete and Mrs. T. H. Ford, and Report just him, spent Sunday in the shooting ow, where they visited didge at his home ster, Mrs. Ewers. It is thought by Mann returned to accidentally shot h Wednesday, after days with his

Senator Willis and low and other field A. Martin camping near Grease of A. S. Buckingham, Here's for full bags only.

Mr. C. F. James presents the schools of the county wit day thermometers Good, and teach ers will now regulate the heat one and observe even temperature pet during the day and night. ma and plenty of ventilation. The

The Fair Association held a meeting Saturday evening and after discussion decided to continue the Fair and offer larger premiums on live stock and farm products.

FOR SALE—Furniture and Undertaking business, stock and fixtures of the late A. H. Gregory. J. E. DINWIDDIE, Admr. 11-18-2t Appomattox, Va.

The sale of C. F. Smith's personal property will take place on Friday, November 19th at 1 o'clock on the premises near Vera.

The many friends of Mr. L. B. Harvey are distressed over his condition. He was taken to the Baptist Hospital, Lynchburg this evening for treatment.

Diphtheria has invaded the home of our townsman, C. T. Moses. Little Virginia Moses is stricken with the disease. There are some other cases reported. Prompt action by the health authorities will prevent its spread.

The tobacco market here seems to be averaging a higher price than the other dark markets. The quality of the tobacco grown on Appomattox soil is said to be the best and that fact may account for the edge the Appomattox market enjoys over its competitors.

Prof. Wilkins and County Agent Hudgins are conducting agricultural classes in the county. Mr. Hudgins conducted the one at Oakville last week. He is urging the farmers to try March pigs and feed them on green feed for profit.

Leave your clothes you want cleaned, pressed, dyed, or pleated at Virginia's Bonnet Shop, Appomattox, Va. Prompt and efficient service. Rivermont Dry Cleaning & Dye Works, Lynchburg, Va.

Mr. Emmett Gregory, of Dillwyn, was in town on business Monday. He reports that the Virginia Union Farmer newspaper will be taken over by new interests and that the former publisher will move to Farmville.

Six free tickets will be given to anyone who suggests the best name for our theatre. All suggestions are to be written and in by Tuesday, Nov. 23rd. Send to Box 191, Appomattox, Va. The theatre which has formerly been run by J. C. Caldwell is now under the management of Lewis McDearmon and Ryland Mann. See their shows.

Early Monday morning, a party of highway employees ran into Ed Leftwitch as he was entering the highway on the cross street at Moore's garage in town. The fog was thick and all parties claim they did not see the other car. Mr. Wade of the highway party was slightly injured and the Ford car he was riding in was demolished. Inspector Bingham took him to Lynchburg hospital where it is reported his collar bone was broken.

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Town of Appomattox,
It will be necessary to pay your 1926 Capitation Taxes to me on or before Dec. 14th, 1926, in order to participate in the town election to be held June 14, 1927.
R. L. BURKE,
County Treasurer.

NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the late C. F. Smith, parties having claims against his estate will present same to me for payment. Those indebted to his estate will please come forward and settle promptly.
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